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SUBJECT: RETIREMENT OF LT. GENERAL HOLLINGSWORTH

1. DURING PAST FEW DAYS RETIREMENT OF LT. GENERAL HOLLINGS-WORTH HAS BEEN RAISED WITH AMBASSADOR BY PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY GENERAL KIM CHONG-YOM, FOREIGN MINISTER PAK TONG-CHIN, AND DRP POLICY PLANNING CHAIRMAN PAK CHUN-KYU. KIM AND FONMIN PAK BOTH REFERRED TO PRESIDENT PARK'S CONCERNS RE RETIREMENT, WHILE DRP CHAIRMAN PAK SPECULATED THAT RETIREMENT WAS FORCED AS RESULT GENERAL HOLLINGSWORTH'S RECENT PUBLIC STATEMENTS.

2. AMBASSADOR ASSURED EACH THAT HOLLINGSWORTH'S RETIREMENT AND REPLACEMENT WERE NORMAL MILITARY ACTIONS AND HAD ABSOLUTELY NO POLICY IMPLICATIONS.

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